

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Aiko OTSUKA et al.

Application No.: New U.S. National Stage of
PCT/JP04-007257

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Docket No.: 123049

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING HONEYCOMB STRUCTURE AND SILICON
CARBIDE PARTICLE FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims;**Remarks.**